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SUBJECT: TRAVEL TO U.S. OF NIKKYOSO PRESIDENT MAKIEDA

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1. LABATT AND ICA EXCHANGES OFFICER MET JUNE 14 WITH NIKKYOSO INTERNATIONAL BUREAU DIRECTOR ITO TO DISCUSS POSSIBLE ATTENDANCE OF NIKKYOSO PRESIDENT MAKIEDA AT AFT CONVENTION. ITO SAID THAT NIKKYOSO HAD RECEIVED AND GREATLY APPRECIATED PRESIDENT SHANKER'S INVITATION LETTER AND WAS STILL CONSIDERING HOW TO RESPOND TO INVITATION. ITO HINTED THAT SINCE MAKIEDA WILL BE IN INDONESIA IN LATE JULY FOR WCOTP CONVENTION AND IN U.S. IN OCTOBER FOR TALKS WITH AFL-CIO, HE MIGHT FIND IT DIFFICULT TO LEAVE JAPAN IN AUGUST. WE EXPLAINED OUR WILLINGNESS TO COVER DOMESTIC TRAVEL AND OTHER EXPENSES OF SENIOR NIKKYOSO OFFICIAL DESIGNATED TO ATTEND AFT CONVENTION AND ITO INDICATED SUCH ARRANGEMENT WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE AS NIKKYOSO RECENTLY COVERED EXPENSES IN JAPAN OF AFT VICE PRESIDENT HEALEY.

2. COMMENT: WE BELIEVE THAT IF NIKKYOSO DECIDES TO SEND DELEGATE TO AFT CONVENTION, IT WILL BE SENIOR OFFICIAL HAVING MAKIEDA'S COMPLETE CONFIDENCE AND SHARING MAKIEDA'S
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DESIRE TO DEVELOP CLOSER TIES WITH U.S. LABOR MOVEMENT. AFT PRESIDENT SHANKER CAN VERIFY THIS WHEN HE VISITS JAPAN IN JULY. IN THIS CONNECTION, WE HAD BEEN UNAWARE THAT THE AFT WAS SENDING A DELEGATE TO THE NIKKYOSO CONVENTION AND WE WERE SOMEWHAT SURPRISED TO LEARN TODAY FROM ITO THAT THE AFT DELEGATE DID NOT RAISE WITH NIKKYOSO THE AFT CONVENTION INVITATION. MANSFIELD

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